

UPCOMING MICHIGAN CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY (CPS) TRAINING COURSES

CPS Technician Certification Courses

The standardized child passenger safety technician (CPST) certification course is usually 3-4 days long and combines classroom instruction, hands-on work with car sets and vehicles, and a community safety seat checkup. **Attendance is required for the entire course.**

DATE	LOCATION	CONTACT
May 6-9, 2015	Ann Arbor, MI	Carrie Shrier shrier@msu.edu
May 7-8, 15 and 18, 2015	Auburn Hills, MI	Artie Martin artie.martin@mac.com
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June 8-11, 2015	Marquette, MI	Diane Curry upcps.dc@gmail.com
June 18-19 and 25-26, 2015	Kalamazoo, MI	Deb Carpenter 269-341-8830
July 20-23, 2015	Plainfield, MI	Jennifer Hoekstra jennifer.hoekstra@helendevoschildrens.org
September 22-25, 2015	Traverse City, MI	Jennifer Hoekstra jennifer.hoekstra@helendevoschildrens.org

Up to five CEUs may be earned online through webinars. Please visit <http://cert.safekids.org/ResourcesFAQs/Forms/Recertification.aspx> for links to upcoming live and recorded webinars and earn your CEUs right from your computer.

Up to three CEUs may be earned by reviewing nationally circulated publications with primarily CPS technical content. Materials must be peer-reviewed and approved by the certifying body. e.g. Tech Update, Journal of the American Medical Association, Pediatrics, STAPP. One CEU is earned for each approved publication and technicians must keep proof of content and completion handy for three months after recertification in case of an audit.

For more information about CEUs, visit <http://cert.safekids.org/ImATech/Recertification/CEUs.aspx>

CPS Renewal Course

This is NOT an update or refresher course. It provides a brief overview of the technical information contained in the most recent version of the NHTSA curriculum, verifies technical skills through hands-on testing, and assesses CPS knowledge through an on-site written test.

DATE	LOCATION	CONTACT
May 15, 2015	Traverse City, MI	Jennifer Ritter ritterj@anr.msu.edu